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recommendation to the postal authorities was the cause of the attack.

Four and a half furlongs.

TWO and a half miles.

Starter, weight, jockey. St. H.
Joe Leiter, 168, Kerr.
Jacobel, 162, Larcomb. 7
Royal Stag. 180, Evan. 1
Reyal Stag. 180, Evan. 1
Little Duches, 148, Rogers 9
Kalorama, 170, L. Huld koper 2
Rooster, 165, Spencer. 5
Twilight, 165, Knut. 6
Dragoman, 158, Waiters. 8
Start poor. Won easily. Tin
There was the usual

Start poor. Won driving. Time—0.55 2-5.

Race King, Judge and Petunia raced head and head to the turn, where Race King and Judge drew clear. They raced on even terms to the stretch, where Petunia began to close up. In a red-hot drive—Race King won by a neck from Petunia, who was three-quarters of a length in front of Judge. Race King established a new record, beating the mark of .55 3-5s., made by Alan last year, by one-fifth of a second.

THIRD RACE.

NEW YORK, SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1903.

BY CAB IN FIFTH AVENUE.

WEATHER-Cloudy; cooler to-night and Sunday

PRICE ONE CENT.

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Widow of Mysteriously Mur-

Are Disturbed.

wife of the murdered million-

tive that Mrs. Burdick has been con-

and you will have to excuse her.

'I will say that Mrs. Burdick is iil,'

replied Dr. Marcy. "She is not danger-ously ill. The terrible ordeal to which

she has been subjected during the try

Mrs. Burdick is critically ill?"

to warrant quietness.

HARLAN RESIGNS

President Roosevelt He Will

Give Up April 30.

Harlan, Attorney-General of Porto

Rico, to-day called on the President and

tendered his resignation, to take effect

TO COUNTERACT GAS.

Novel Excuse for Drinking Whis-

key Saved Rafferty from a Fine. Michael Rafferty, a workman in th

for Examination.

DIAMONDS HIGHER AGAIN.

A Second Advance of Five Per

Cent. Is Announced.

The sorrows of the poor are never end-

Deuel asked him if he was drunk.

HIS OFFICE.

MRS. BURDICK RACE KING BREAKS **BENNINGS RECORD**

Son of Tenny Runs Four and a Half Furlongs in 55 2-5 Seconds-Illyria Wins at 10 to 1.

dered Buffalo Merchant (Special to The Evening World.)
BENNINGS RACE TRACK, Washington, D. C., March 28.—The largest in a Critical Condition-Under Physician's Care, of the meeting came out to the course this afternoon. There was standing-room in the grand stand only. The betting-ring was so choked that betting was a torment. The club-house CAUSED BY MENTAL STRAIN. was uncomfortably crowded with fashonably gowned women representing

Dr. Marcy, Who Is in Attend-Washington's best society. ance, Makes a Guarded Statewraps were a burden. A trip through the betting ring was sufficient to bathe ment of Her Case-Officials one in perspiration.

The reason for this extraordinary out-pouring of visitors to Bennings's pretty course. was the attraction which the card offered in the shape of two steeplechase events. One was the Chevy Chase Handicap, an annual feature at Ben-BUFFALO, N. Y., March 28.-From an

To this race only horses that have been ng information that Mrs. Alice Hull regularly hunted at hounds during the runs of the Chevy Chase Club are eligicritically ill at her beautiful ble. Horses are ridden in "Pink" by gentlemen approved by the stewards. "Pink" means hunting costume of pink ed to her room under the care of her hunting coat, white breeches and high silk hat or black velvet hunting cap. family physician, Dr. Marcy, since An Evening World reporter called at chase is well worth looking at and as each of the gentlemen riders has a host e Burdick mansion to interview Mrs. Burdick. The door-bell was answered by Dr. Marcy. The physician positively of friends, the most uproarious enthusiasm prevails during the progress of refused to allow any one to see Mrs.

To the regulars the flat races

"Mrs. Burdick has not been feeling well for the past few days," said the There was a race on the card which contracted a cold recently rought about a meeting between Wynd-"Is it true," asked the reporter, "that O. L. Richards's Race King, winner of the Arington purse on the opening day. Orleans contingent as unbeatable, while of going, had many admirers. ing inquest just over has caused her to

The fifth race was the Potomac need a rest more than anything else. I esting, though not very high class field "It is rumored that Mrs. Burdick has

pneumonia. Will you say whether that is true?" asked the reporter. The track was in supert and very fast. "I deny that positively," answered the octor. He then asked to be excused The Washington Post-Office authorities to-day held up the mail of all the doctor. He then asked to be excused and refused to say anything further. There is a growing feeling here among the authorities that Mrs. Burdick is on the verge of collapse. It is said she is little short of a nervous wreck, and what the outcome of her present illness will be is a matter of considerable anxiety about Supt. Bull's and District-Attorney Coatsworth's offices,

HARLAN RESIGNS

ties to-day held up the mail of all the professional tiesters had up and little. The professional tiesters had up and little. The professional tiesters had that the tip-sters have been obtaining money under lalse pretenses to bet on the races. They claim also that it is illegal to bet and that when money is sent through the mails for that purpose it is an illegal transaction.

It is understood that President Howards afternoon were as follows:

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Visitors at Morgue Fail to Identify Mysterious Unknown Killed by Hansom at Waldorf-Astoria Corner Starter, weight, jockey. St.Hif.Fin. St.Piace. Illyria, 101, Gannon.... 2 24 1 1 2 2 25 2.5 1.3 Dr. Saylor, 101, Haack... 3 4° 38½ 7 8.5 Ahumada, 101, Wilkson 4 3° 4° 6 11-10 Einus, 117, Fisher...... 6 5 5 100 40 Start good. Won ridden out. Time-1.14. Demurrer was a red-hot favorite in the opening event and many a bank-roll went on him, for it was believed that he was unbeatable. Demurrer went away in front with his usual speed, but when they got to the turn Illyria was within a length and a half of him, and Redfern was seen to be urging the favorite. In the run home, Illyria closed and in a drive won by a length from Demurrer, who was three lengths in front of Dr. Saylor.

NO ONE REPORTED MISSING.

Well Dressed and Apparently Respectable, but No Friends Have Come Forward to Inquire for Her or to Claim Body

They all refused to give their

They looked at the dead woman, bu none of them could identify her. Each magined that she might have been a friend or relative from the description She seems to have gone from life to ment in the circle that knew her. great city knows her. Who is it? Who

She was struck down while hurryin along the street. She never spoke a wheels of the cab and her life

are her friends?

Start poor. Won easily. Time—6.00.

There was the usual screamingly funny farce. The falls and the bolts and the antics of the horses convulsed the crowd from start to finish. Twilight, the mount of Mr. Knut, ran away and jumped the track rails and all sorts of obstructions. Mr. Knut gave a fine exhibition of pluck. One rider fell plump into the water jump, much to the delight of the crowd. Joe Leiter was the best ridden in the race. He set a hot pace, eight or ten lengths in front of the bunch, until half a mile from home, where Jacobel closed on him. They ran on even terms to the stretch, where Joe Leiter drew away and won in a big gallop by ten lengths. Jacobel was six lengths in front of Royal Stag. Not a Single Inquiry. had not a cent with her. She had no purse, no card, no single scrap of writing on her person that could tell who she might be. Some one must have missed her; must have expected her to return had she run into the street for a moment; must have been out for the evening, and yet no one went to a police station, no one asked a policeman in the whole city if a woman answering her description had been found wandering or had been sent to any of the hospitals.

None of the hotels in the neighbor-nood where she was killed missed any of their guests, and although the regis-ters of the Waldorf, the Holland House and others were searched after the acsident was reported, no name was on them that suggested the identity of the dead person.

she was a woman of refinement. While her clothes were neat and good. Although she was alone in the street near midnight, there was nothing to indicate Rather did she have the appearance of sists of Nos. 301-403 Mulberry street, a housewife suddenly called out on an errand. She was evidently in a great drry or she would not have run beneath the wheels of the cab as she did.

Possible Clues. As to her identity, there are two fairly good clues. On her underwear there are ne embroidered initials "N. K." In the running around the front was the mark had he received the report of Prof. Withous, who is making a microscopic indicating that it had been purchased there. The firm has been asked to look man's body. large black hat with an ostrich feather brough its books to see if they had a harge customer with the initials "N. K. The Newark police think the dead woman may possibly be a Newark building he shook hands with Warden woman who was known there as Helen Van der Carr and thanked him for t or Nellie Kirk. She disappeared from a good treatment that he had received. poarding-house at Na. 91 Lafayette street on Monday. She went there nearly month ago, accompanied by a young man who wore expensive clothes and

Her cheeks were pinched even. Her hands were so emaciated that they gave

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District - Attorney

Minor Finally Accepts Cor-

nelia Storrs as Security, and

She Signs Bond for \$20,000.

ipulator, against whom the Grand Jury

offered herself as surety, Assistant Dis-

Nos. 317, 319 and 321 East One Hundred a boy.

man, whose body was disinterred, nor soon.

and Eighth street and lots in West-

not yet received a report from Dr.

Schultze, who performed the autopsy on

the body of the late Theodore E. Haag-

Dr. Flower returned to the Tombs and

got his overcoat, a small valise, some

books and papers. Before leaving the

Van der Carr and thanked him for the

WEATHER FORECAST.

Forecast for the thirty-six

bours ending at S P. M. Sunday

for New York City and vicinity:

Cloudy to-night and Sunday;

cooler, light to fresh variable

winds becoming northwest.

MYSTERIOUS WOMAN KILLED

President Hall and Present Ultimatum to Him Demanding a Reply, Without Delay, to Their Wage Proposition. "L" GUARDS ANGRY WITH LEADERS

AND FAVOR IMMEDIATE STRIKE. Meetings Now in Progress Here and in New Haven at Which the Radical Element of

Railroad Employees Tired of Haggling with

Which May Get Beyond Control. THE LABOR SITUATION TO-DAY.

Unions Is Developing Alarming Strength

New Haven Railroad employees threaten immediate strike if demands are not granted. Manhattan guards wish to tie up the "L" system at

Lowell Cotton Mills shut out 20,000 employees. Erie Railroad's new schedule of wages satisfies the

STRIKE MAY TIE UP BIG RAILROAD SYSTEM.

Arrested for Speeding Ma-NEW HAVEN, March 28.—The New said things were not moving satisfiaven Railroad strike situation, which torily. Neither would Mr. Hall tall has been causing much concern not only tral public for three days, assumed a

grave phase this afterno Central Park the youngest automobilist The men presented an ultimatum to the officials of the road. They demanddo with reference to their demands and

ver which the two sides have been haggling for three days. John Rutherford, fourteen years old, of President Hall did not give them a definite answer. He put them off for two

gerald, twenty-seven years old, of No. hours and called up J. Pierpont Morgan, at \$20,000. When Mrs. Cornella Sterrs 55 West Fifty-second street, was also in New York, to consult with him. On his advice rests, in all probability, teenth street, when two pondrous auto- whother there will be a strike or not. mobiles whizzed by him. They were go-The men who talked with President He accepted her to-day after she had ing at a terrifice rate of speed. The Hall were evidently not pleased with qualified by offering \$1.0,000 worth of policeman called, but the persons in the what he had to say. When they came out they looked very angry, and Chairthat one of the automobilists was only ance Committee, when asked if things

were going well, replied: He took both to the Arsenal and thtre "They are not progressing satisfactorily The freight-handlers in the local yards they were placed under arrest. Young at all, but we hope that the matter will will receive the increase, and all similar

Lenders Losing Patience.

marked: "Oh, I'll be bailed out pretty

the other fellow and I can blame from much."

Mr. Rutherford and the youngster got tee for Mr. Rutherford and rode away, the strike.

The I strike the machine.

in the automobile and rode away, the boy handling the machine.

The men are plainly tired of the haggling. They would say no more than the employ of an automobile company.

Strike.

The men are plainly tired of the hagmen's committeemen have refused to accept the compromise proposition.

President Hall has notified the trainmen's committee that he will receive the committee again Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

in check by the more conservative they are now getting the upper hand and the whole situation is going to

lear up or get mighty black within General Manager Chamberlain, of the New York, New Haven and Harts Railroad, announced to-day that no shopmen and the firemen of an advance in pay of 10 per cent., to take effect Ma 2. This increase granted is in accord

ance with the vote of the directors, affects between 1,500 and 2,000 men on crease in wages per year will add penses of the road.

Rutherford took his arrest nonchalantbe settled before night one way or the employees on the road who are receivly. He was turned over to the care of other." yards whose wages have already been advanced will not come in for a raise.

the Children's Society, and then he remarked: 'Oh, I'll be bailed out pretty, soon.''

Young Rutherford had just left the Arsenal for the Children's Society's rooms when his father, John A. Rutherford arrived. The boy was brought back and'his father bailed him out, giving security far \$300. Mr. Rutherford at a member of the firm of John A. Rutherford & Co., brokers, of No. 20

Broad street. Mr. Rutherford said:

"The boy is fourteen years old. He owns the automobile, and I consider him as competent to run it as any chauffeur in the city. The boy can do more with the machine than most of them."

"My son was going no faster than the other fellow and I can't see that I blame from much."

Mr. Rutherford and the youngster got in the automobile and rode away, the limited and rode away, the limited and rode away, the limited of the has.

Leaders Losing Patience.

The committee which waited upon President Hall and the sub-committee of the strike question in charge, consisted of the road's directors who have the strike question in charge, consisted of Chairman Righam, of the for Chairman Keenan, of the Trainmen's organization, and a member of the joint grievance committee of the joint grievance committee of the joint grievance committee of the trainmen's committee and the mand from Mr. Hall a written answer to the propositions submitted by the schedule. This answer was to be presented to the joint grievance committee and the men's demand for a ten-hour day. It is understood that the road officials is said to relate to the joint grievance committee on the joint grievance committee and the company officials is said to relate to the men's demand for a ten-hour day. It is understood that the road officials have expressed a willingness to grant concessions and an increase to employees whose services are the more valuable to the company, while in the case of other men there is a disposition to draw in the case of other men the part of the joint grievance committee of the joint grievance of the president Hall has notified the

"L" ROAD GUARDS WOULD

GO ON STRIKE AT QNOE. If the guards on the Manhattan "L" so insistent in their attitude that they

meeting to-day to decide whether or not to indorse the action of their Executive Committee in permitting General Manager E. P. Bryan, of the Interborough Company, which will control the "L" believe that the Admiral was correctly after April 1, to put off answering their

A lot of men, especially the guards, are angry with the committee for doing this. They are indignant at the refusal

Favor Immediate Strike.

roads have their way about it there will have been talking about breaking away from the main organization and starting one of their own. They charge that union of "L" employees are holding a ately ignored the interests of the guards.

Only one of these is a guard. The membership of the new union consists of more than one-third guards, the guards say, and they are going to de-mand that they have a greater repre-

To Insist on a Nine-Hour Day.

The schedule which General Manager this. They are indignant at the refusal of General Manager Skitt to give them an increase in their pay, although the wages of other classes of employees were raised, and they insist that Skitt's shifting the issue to Bryan and Bryan's postponement of a settlement is just a dodge of the company to strengthen its Bryan when they went to see him, they they will insist on a nine-hour day. To-day's meeting is being held in the

Attorney-General of Porto Rico Tells HUNDREDS FLEE

FROM FLOODS.

Big Territory Inundated by Breaks in Mississippi Levees and Much Suffering at Various Points Along the River.

subway, was to-day arraigned before Magistrate Deuel in the Harlem Court GREENVILLE Miss., March 28 .charged with intoxication. Magistrate Only six blocks in this place were above water to-day. The police force "Yes, I was," was the unhesitating with rescuing parties was at work reply. "What is your excuse?" Magistrate bringing people from the flooded dis- fire to the place. "What is your excuse."

Deuel asked.

"I took some whiskey to counteract the evil effects of sewer gas in the tunnel," said the prisoner.

Magistrate Deuel laughed at the plea and discharged Rafferty. trict, many houses being under water to a depth of several feet.

From the great flantations about the crevasse at Lagrange come reports of heart-rending scenes. Hundreds of negroes have been brought to Greenville ALLEGED POOLROOM KEEPER stock taken from the plantations surrounding Greenville.

Prisoners Taken in Raids Are Held News has reached here of a threatened break in the levee at Catfish James F. Ellison, otherwise known as Point, some thirty miles north of Green-*Biff": Ellison the second, appeared in the Court of Special Sessions to-day in a swell outfit, consisting of a frock coat, white waistcoat, silk hat, tan gloves, light-colored trousers and patent leather shoes. He, with three other men, was arrested last night in a raid on an alleged posterow. Yo "St. Fast a swell outfit, consisting of a frock coat, white waistcoat, silk hat, tan gloves, light-colored trousers and patent leather shoes. He, with three other men, was arrested last night in a raid on an alleged pool-room, No. 23: East Feurteenth street, of which Ellison is said to be the proprietor. Ellison was held in \$1,000 ball for examination on Thursday, and James Sullivan, one of the other prisoners, was held in \$500 ball for examination at the same time. The other prisoners were discharged. Patrick J. Carey, the alleged proprietor of a pool-room in West Third street, was held in \$500 ball in Special Sessions for examination next Wednesday.

WAIFS DEAD IN RIVER.

Bodies of Two Babies Found Floating Near Ferry Slips

The body of a male child about three lays old was found in the slip of the Union Ferry Company at South Ferry to-day by Frank Hughes, of No. 57 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, and Patrick McGovern, of No. 32 Veranda place, Brooklyn. The body was sent to the Morgue, body, that of a female child, was found floating in the North River at the foot of Forty-second street in a pasteboard box weighted down with

ing. Joy over the fall in the price of anthracite has been cut short by the announcement of a further 5 per cent. Drowned Man Found in River announcement of a further 5 per cent.
advance in price of rough diamonds.
This is the second advance of 5 per
cent. within seven weeks.

Local dealers say they can see no
reason for the advance unless it is that
the reserve supply of the De Beers Byndicate is short or that the company has
a corner. The advance will not affect
the retail market for a month or two. James Peterson, a deck hand on the bargo Pawtucket, found the body of a about thirty-five years old, the North River to-day, at the foot of Forty-sixth street. He was about 5 feet 9 inches tail, weighed about 160 pounds, dark trown hair and amooth false. His clothes consisted of a blue sack coat and vest, short dark overcoat, striped trousers and cotton underwear.

Reesevelt to Be a LL.D. CHICAGO, March 28.—President Har-per, of Chicago University, will confer the degree of LL.D. on President Roose-Tour to Washington
Via Pennsylvania Railroad April 5 214.50 for
the round trip, including all expanses. Consult
Tourist Agent, 200 5th ave., New York City, ***

Drug Store Blaze Started by Explosion of Nitric Acid Develops a Job Lot of Curious Happenings in Harlem.

Concentrated rays of the sun exploded ten gallons of nitric acid in a large bottle in the window of Max Rosenbaum's drug store at One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Park avenue to-day and set

On the way to the fire, while dashing down the One Hundred and Sixteenth street hill, the hardess on a horse at-tached to Hose Cart No. 35 became dis-

arranged. Fireman Fred Lear tried to fix the snapper.

The horse reared and Lear was thrown under the cart. An ambulance was sent for

Lear was revived and sent home When the blaze was put out the nen learned that the store had been losed by the Sheriff on Monday.

Search was made for Rosenbaum The firemen found George Tobias tosenbaum's best friend, who was also ooking for him.

Cobias's wife had disappeared together. To-day, Tobias said, he had received letter from his wife saying that she ad transferred her affections to Rose Going back one fireman said to

other: "I wonder what the next turn out of the box will be?"

RIVES WITHHOLDS OPINION Corporation Counsel Will Not Com mit Himself on Sturgis.

Corporation Counsel Rives said to-day he was unable to state whether or no law in awarding contracts in excess of "I have expressed no definite opinion.

"I have expressed no definite opinion."
said the Corporation Counsel. "I have
not been informed as to the particular
facts in each of the ten cases alleged.
I have not assumed that Commissioner
Sturgis has exceeded his authority, and
any statement to the contrary at present
is an injustice to him."

the description of the woman who was killed last night, and her initials correspond with those on the linen.

The woman was very thin and pale.

THIRTY-SIX FRISONERS TAKEN IN SENSATIONAL

POLICE RAID ON A POOL-ROOM IN HARLEM.

Thirty-six prisoners were taken in a raid on a pool-room in a stable at One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Pleasant avenue this afternoon. The stable is in the middle of a vacant lot and the raid was sensational. H. N. Thorburn, the reputed proprietor, got through the police lines and escaped.

BASEBALL RESULTS.
At Atlanta—New York (A. L.), 6; Atlanta, 0.
At Princeton—Princeton, 12; New York University, 0. At Annapolis-Navy, 3; Lafayette, 2.

LATE RESULTS AT BENNINGS. Fourth-Gold Ray, 30 to 1, Gum Honey, Kate Spotswood Fifth Race—Mrs. Frank Foster 1, Alan 2, Orloff 3. Sixth Race—Yellow Tail 1, Early Eve 2, Athelroy 3.

LITTLE ROCK WINNERS. Second Race—Boomerack 1, Joe Buckley 2, Dr. Kammerer. Third Race—Tancred 1, Paramount 2, osette 3, Fourth Race—Nearest 1, Flaneur 2, St. Tammany 3,

GERMANS HAVE FAITH IN DEWEY.

Emperor and Navy.

eign Office officials say they do not be-lieve that a diplomatic incident will result from the recent interview with Admiral Dewey, published in a newspaper of Newark, N. J., and containing references to the German navy and German Emperor.

The officials say they are reluctant to quoted, "especially in view of the good demands until April 6. will he showed toward Germany in the messages exchanged with Prince

should the interview turn out to be true it "would prove somewhat disturbing to the pleasant relations with the

Young John Rutherford, Son of

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Drive by Mounted Policeman Fitzgerald.

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Government Officials Believe He Wa Misquoted in Talk About

BERLIN, March 28 .- The German For-

The Foreign Office officials add that

ing to the pleasant relations with the United States."

No official information on the subject has been received from Washington.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—At President Roosevelt's invitation, Admiral Dewey called at the White House today and explained that he had meant no offense to Emperor William or the German Government when he spoke of the recent naval manocuvres by American ships in West Indian waters.

The President was wholly satisfied with the Admiral's statement, and they parted on the best of terms.

dooge of the company to strengthen its

Therefore they are hot for a strike Harlem Casino. It will last all design and a day with nine hours' work is granted and granted at once. They are even (Continued on Second Page.)